even when their opinions differed from one another. It is a reminder that when we come to the table with a desire to improve and a willingness to listen, there is nothing our nation can't achieve.

Now, as we conclude the Congressional Youth Advisory Council, I am filled with unwavering confidence that this next generation of solutions-minded leaders will work towards ushering our country to greatness.

I thank every member of the Congressional Youth Advisory Council for their steadfast commitment to this program and for their efforts to make our community stronger. It has been an honor to know them and serve them in Congress, and I look forward to seeing what each of them accomplish as they go forward.

Esther Abiog, Humza Ahmad, Rundransh Arora, Grant Barta, Zain Blair-Roberts, Ainsley Burkes, Neha Chand, Kaitlyn Compton, Kennedy Eagleton, Veronica Fang, Lawrence Gardner, Kendall Gee, Forest Haviland, Peyton Herbert, Victoria Hinnant, Chau Hua, Ishaan Joshi, Keeten Levin, Cassie Liu, Mansi Lohtia, Fardis Mohiuddin, Jordyn Morgan, Arshia Narula, Gikonyo Njendu, Jimmy O'Brien, Sharon Odhiambo, Shayan Parikh, Dhanish Parimalakumar, Nikolas Parker, Tyler Primeaux, Pranavi Reddi, Michael Tallman, Colin Wanek, Danielle Wang, Jedaiah Ward, Luke Yeary, Grace Zou.

NORTHGLENN HIGH SCHOOL BEST IN SHOW AWARD RECIPIENTS

### HON. ED PERLMUTTER

OF COLORADO

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES  $Monday,\ April\ 25,\ 2022$ 

Mr. PERLMUTTER. Madam Speaker, I rise today to recognize and applaud Sarah Siegel, Giovanni Rodriguez and Benjamin Lange for earning the Best in Show Award in the 2022 Congressional App Challenge.

As first-time participants in the challenge, this team from the Northglenn High School built an app entitled "Pastelia Development" which is a social media app that promotes positivity.

The students spent countless hours and used numerous tools to learn about coding and app development while developing new skills and further advancing their STEM education. Their perseverance and dedication to this challenge exemplifies the character and determination the faculty instills in the students at the school and the students' commitment to being lifelong learners.

I extend my deepest congratulations to Sarah Siegel, Giovanni Rodriguez and Benjamin Lange for their hard work on this project. I wish each student the best in all their future endeavors.

HONORING THE CAREER OF GEORGE CROUSE

#### HON. JOE COURTNEY

OF CONNECTICUT

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES  $Monday, \ April \ 25, \ 2022$ 

Mr. COURTNEY. Madam Speaker, I rise today to commemorate and praise the career of George Crouse, of Stonington, Connecticut.

The head coach of the Stonington High School girl's tennis team, George has recently been named a recipient for this year's Gold Key Award, a prestigious honor that celeprates icons in Connecticut athletics. As a coach at Stonington for nearly 50 years, Crouse, with the support of his athletes, has steered his teams to victory time and time again, proving his determination, work ethic, and irreplaceable coaching methods. It is no exaggeration when I say that George is a monumental pillar in not just the success of Stonington High School's tennis team, but the entire Stonington community.

A former student of the class of 1960 him-George Crouse has represented self. Stonington High School and southeastern Connecticut impressively well. A truly dedicated steward to Stonington, it was not long after his graduation that he returned to Stonington High to begin his career in coaching in the fall of 1973, first as the boy's tennis coach before transitioning to the coach for the girl's team in 1987. George was also a longtime teacher at Stonington High-having racked up 37 years in the social studies department. In addition to his teaching and coaching careers, George has always sought to increase his role in supporting the Stonington community, even serving a stint as the town's first selectman. Through his numerous and renowned careers in the area, George has been an enduring force of moral fortitude for Stonington, impressing upon the town's youngest generation the value of community spirit.

George's experiences as a high school teacher and as First Selectman have helped reinforce the qualities that have made him a prodigious coach. George is kind but firm, wise but humble. He takes his students seriously and coaches them in ways that will help each succeed. His tenure and track record of well more than 800 career victories for boys' and girls' tennis are evidence enough of his natural leadership and passion for inspiring the best in others. However, his 2019 reception of the National High School Coach of the Year makes the record clear. This year's Gold Key Award is yet another well-deserved notch in his belt.

Clearly, George's legacy as a coach for the Stonington Bears is one to-be emulated. His team is currently 5–0 overall and has three state championships and eight class tournament championships under its belt. For his distinguished career, the tennis courts at Stonington High have already been dedicated in his name. Even so, he remains as humble as ever; thanking his players for getting him to where he is, including his own four children—Maggie, Liz, Ann, and George.

Madam Speaker, I am honored to represent a district that is comprised of such hard-working and community-oriented individuals like George. As the Congressman for Stonington, I have had a chance to see up close his passion for the town and I can attest he is true public servant. A wise teacher, a confident leader, and a passionate coach, George has exemplified to his own town, our state and our Nation the boundless limits of what can be accomplished when a community sticks together. I am confident that there are very few that are more deserving of the Gold Key Award as much as George, and that he will continue to raise the bar for Stonington High School. George is joined by his wife Ann and their four

children in celebrating this major milestone for the family and the school. As he continues to make history as coach at Stonington High School, I, along with countless others, excitedly await the new milestones that he is bound to achieve. To that end, I ask my colleagues in the House to join me in honoring George Crouse for his unsurpassable coaching career, further extending the legacy of his actions.

HONORING THE SERVICE OF U.S. ARMY SERGEANT ROY DELAUTER

### HON. DAVID J. TRONE

OF MARYLAND

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Monday, April 25, 2022

Mr. TRONE. Madam Speaker, I rise today to commend the service of Sergeant Roy "Buddy" Charles DeLauter, who made the ultimate sacrifice for our country during the Korean War.

A resident of Smithsburg, Maryland, Sgt. DeLauter bravely answered the call to defend the values of democracy and enlisted in the U.S. Army in 1948.

On December 1, 1950, Sgt. DeLauter was tragically killed in action. Like many fallen service members of foreign wars, his remains could not be easily recovered and returned. For over 70 years, his family was deprived of the closure America's Gold Star families so rightly deserve.

Credit to the tireless efforts of his loved ones, Sgt. DeLauter was finally brought home this week to Hagerstown. Friday, he was given a proper burial with full military honors.

By all accounts, Sgt. DeLauter was an exemplar of the Army's core values: loyalty, duty, respect, personal courage, honor, integrity, and selfless service. To his family, the same.

We are forever indebted to Sgt. DeLauter and his family for their service to this Nation.

# HONORING THE LIVES OF AMERICAN WORKERS

## HON. MARCY KAPTUR

OF OHIO

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Monday, April 25, 2022

Ms. KAPTUR. Madam Speaker, I rise today on Workers Memorial Day to pay tribute to the workers across Ohio and America whose lives were taken from us far too soon.

Every day, hardworking truck drivers, steel-workers, teachers, postal workers, nurses, police officers, firefighters, electricians, construction workers, bus drivers, and so many more go to work to make, build, and grow America. It is through their efforts that America moves forward.

Tragically, many workers never return to their families at the end of the day. The immense void their absence leaves behind in the hearts of their loved ones and communities can never be filled.

As a society, we have a sacred obligation and a moral responsibility to ensure the safety and wellbeing of those who labor to build up America. In acting on this mission, we must support the labor unions who day in and day